IFW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Akinori ITO et al. Attorney Docket Number: 100021-00157

Serial Number: 10/540,749 Confirmation Number: 9204

Filed: June 24, 2005 Art Unit: 1624

For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING BENZYLAMINE DERIVATIVE

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Date: April 17, 2006

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the information items listed on the attached PTO-SB08a. Unless otherwise indicated herein, one copy of each item is attached. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the items be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

	merits	1. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed (a) within three months of the U.S. filing date, OR (b) before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the present application, OR (c) accompanies a Request for Continued Examination. No certification or fee is required.						
 This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three after the U.S. filing date AND after the mailing date of the first Office Action merits, but before the mailing date of a Final Rejection or Notice of Allowar 								
		a. I hereby certify that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. 37 CFR §1.97(e)(1).						
		b. I hereby certify that no item of information in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application or, to my knowledge after making reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR §1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. 37 CFR §1.97(e)(2).						

		under 37 CFR §1.17(p). Plea	in the amount of \$180.00 in payment of the fee se charge any fee deficiency or credit any unt Number 01-2300 as needed to ensure I information.			
	Allowa Informa §1.17(i Account	This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months the U.S. filing date and after the mailing date of a Final Rejection or Notice of wance, but before payment of the Issue Fee. Applicants hereby petition that the mation Disclosure Statement be considered. Attached is our check number in the amount of \$180.00 in payment of the petition fee under 37 CFR 7(i)(1). Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit bunt Number 01-2300 as needed to ensure consideration of the disclosed mation.				
		Information Disclosure Stater foreign patent office in a cour	nch item of information contained in this nent was first cited in a communication from a atterpart foreign application not more than three is Information Disclosure Statement. 37 CFR			
		Disclosure Statement was cit office in a counterpart foreign reasonable inquiry, was known	o item of information in this Information ed in a communication from a foreign patent application or, to my knowledge after making on to any individual designated in 37 CFR on this prior to the filing of this Information R §1.97(e)(2).			
\boxtimes		application. Copies of the U.	Form PTO-SB08a were cited in a counterpart S. Patent references are not enclosed in view of es effective October 21, 2004.			
			Respectfully submitted,			
		Ler.	War Cyc # 44, 275 Charles M) Marmels ein Registration Number 25,895			

Customer Number 004372 ARENT FOX PLLC 1050 Connecticut Avenue, NW Suite 400 Washington, DC 20036-5339 Telephone: (202) 857-6000 Fax: (202) 638-4810

CMM:cs

Enclosures: Form PTO-SB08a

PTO/SB/08a (08-03)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Attorney Docket Number

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO Complete if Known

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT Form PTO/SB/08a

US-

of

Sheet

Complete if Known

Application Number 10/540,749

Filing Date June 24, 2005

First Named Inventor Akinori ITO et al.

Art Unit

Examiner Name

100021-00157

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Document Number	Number-Kind Code ² (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
		US-4,566,901		01-28-1986	Henry MARTIN et al.		
		US-5,663,199	Α	09-02-1997	Walter Gerhard BROUWER		
		US-5,817,814	Α	10-06-1998	Marvin J. KONZ et al.		
		US-4,968,829		11-06-1990	Clive A. HENRICK		
		US-6,531,291	B1	03-11-2003	Christina KABBASH et al.		
		US-2003/0191146	A1	10-09-2003	Christina KABBASH et al.		
		US-6,812,229	B1	11-02-2004	Masami OZAKI et al.		
		US-					
	1	US-					
		US-					
		US-					
	1	US-					
		US-					
·		US-					
	1	US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-					
		US-		1			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Foreign Patent Document	Country Code ³	Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁵ (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Τ ⁶
	L							
	ļ							
	 -							
				<u> </u>				
]					

Examiner	 Date	
Signature	Considered	

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹Unique citation designation number. ²See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. ³Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code. ⁴For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached. AB indicates that only an English language abstract is attached.